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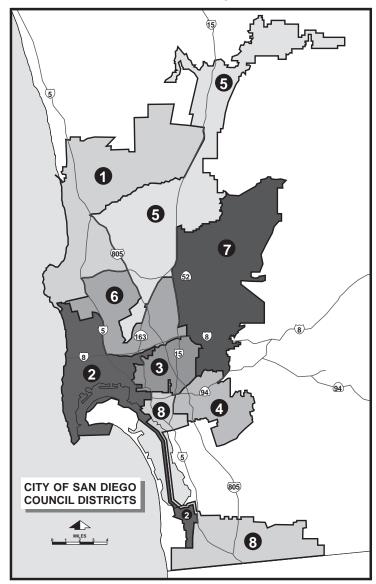
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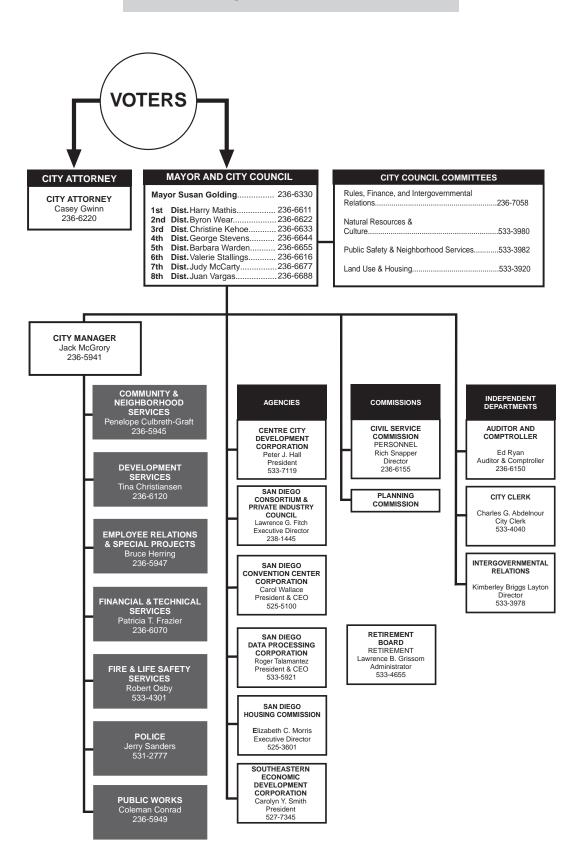


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The following information explains the format of the various sections of the Proposed Budget Documents.

#### Summary of Financial Data

The Summary of Financial Data can be found on the yellow pages at the beginning of the first Departmental Detail volume (volume II) of the budget documents. This section presents the City's budget detailing revenues and expenditures in a summary format through the use of various schedules. For clarification of the terms presented, the glossary of terms can be located within the Policy Document.

#### **Business Center Detail**

The City of San Diego is divided into seven Business Centers and six independent departments. These Business Centers are organized by the type of services provided to the community, and appear alphabetically throughout the Department Detail volumes of the budget documents.

The Business Center Detail includes an organizational chart and a budget summary displaying the departmental information within each Business Center. Departments are the organizational units below Business Centers. The budget summary displays staffing and expenditures at the department level.

The departments within each of the Business Centers are presented alphabetically, and in detail beginning with an organizational chart and budget summary. The departmental organizational chart reflects the organizational units within that department. Depending upon the size of the department, the information reflected may be by division or program. The shaded areas on the departmental organizational chart signify non-general fund divisions within that department. The budget summary for the department details the staffing and expenditures for the current and proposed fiscal years.

Also included in the Departmental Detail are the summary of major budget changes which reflects significant changes that have occurred since the previous year's budget; the department, division, or program summary which highlight key performance measures, responsibilities of the department or divisions, and performance measurements which outline by program the objective(s) to be met by the department or division, and allocated staffing and funding; and the position and salary information by program displays the staffing and the associated costs; and the revenue and expense statements (for non-general fund departments) which outline the actual revenues and expenditures for Fiscal Year 1996 and the estimated revenues and the expenditures for Fiscal Years 1997 and 1998.

#### **Colored Pages**

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## Performance Management Program

The City of San Diego is in its third year of implementation of the Performance Management Program. Two components of this program are the Citywide development of meaningful performance measures and the implementation of a Performance Based Budget. Since the inception of this program three years ago, the City has progressed further than most cities whose organizations have undertaken similar efforts. The City's continual efforts in refinement of the Performance Based Budgeting process, identification of performance measures, tracking techniques and reporting mechanisms is anticipated to lead to one of the most comprehensively developed Performance Management Programs in the country. Reported accurately, performance information provides a basis for describing whether the organization is accomplishing its purposed, determining the effectiveness and efficiency of a program, and exploring means to improve the program or service.

The City has made a concerted effort to develop performance measures that are consistent with its missions, goals and objectives. The external outcomes are aimed at measuring the mission and goals which are broader expressions of their general purpose. These measure the service impact on the citizen and customer. Several jurisdictions across the country have realized the importance of reporting outcome measures and have begun to develop meaningful outcomes for their own performance. This is allowing the City to compare its performance to a broader range of municipalities. The objectives and internal outcomes developed by the City are more precise at measuring what is going to be accomplished, when it is going to be accomplished and how well it is going to be accomplished. These measures are helpful for managers and supervisors in the daily operation of the organization.